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## OCEAN, BAR, BAY, DOCK AND RIVER

The marine event of the day was the arrival in this port from San Francisco, of the new and fine steam schooner "Majestic," Captain A. M. Anderson on the bridge. She was built by the Dickey's, at Raymond, Wash., last fall, and is a dandy in all respects, fast, roomy, and sturdy, and is 211 feet long; 40 feet beam and 14.6 feet depth of hold; her gross tonnage is 808, her net tonnage being 449 tons; she is three masted and equipped with all modern appliances for freight handling and despatch. The "Majestic" is en route to Portland, but is practically ice-bound in this port, as her master fears to start up stream against what is supposed to be coming down it in that line.

The steamer Lurline departed for Portland yesterday morning at 5:30 o'clock, with plenty of business on deck. She carried the mail and passengers of the steamer T. J. Potter, last heard from as at anchor off S. Helen's. The Lurline passed that city at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and is supposed to have reached the metropolis between 5 and 6 o'clock in the afternoon. It is not thought she will leave out this morning unless the river is much clearer of ice than is now supposed.

It took four days and two steamers to get the schooner William Bowden and the British ship Carmanian from here to Portland, during the height of the nor'east gale, but both vessels are snug in port there, the former loading lumber for Valparaiso, and the Carmanian taking on wheat for St. Vincents, for orders.

Captain Harry Emkins, of the Columbia River Pilot service, who brought the steamer Elder down yesterday morning, reports the ice in the river as far down as Rainier, and that it was fairly stiff work to push the liner through it. She got away over the bar at an early hour, for the Bay City.

Daylight this morning should reveal the presence of floating ice off this city if all the yarns about its plentitude "up creek" are true, and there is no reason to doubt the fact, but plenty of reason to deplore it.

The steamship Senator was due to arrive at the O. R. & N. piers at 11 o'clock last night, but the presence of ice in the Columbia made it well on toward daylight before she berthed here. She will leave out on the morning flood for San Francisco.

The telephone wires are down between this city and Cap Disappointment and North Head, and the poles with them. It may be several days before the service is restored; but it will be done as quickly as possible.

The steamer Yellowstone is due down the river this morning, en route to the Bay City with a big cargo of lumber.

The steamer Mayfair is on her way down from Portland, lumber laden for San Pedro, and should arrive here by noon today.

The steamer F. S. Loop arrived down yesterday morning and went directly to sea, en route to San Francisco, lumber laden.

#### Notices to Mariners.

Capt. Holmes of the steamship Rosecrans, reports to the branch hydrographic office, by wireless, that on January 2, 1909, in Lat. 35 31 min. N. Long. 126 52 min. W., he saw a log four feet in diameter and 40 feet long. Captain C. Peterson of the schooner Stinson reports that on Dec. 28, 1908, in Lat. 36 40 min. N. Long. 123 54 min. W., he passed a whistling buoy.

#### A Horrible Hold-up

"About ten years ago my brother was 'held up' in his work, health and happiness by what was believed to be 'hopeless Consumption,' writes W. R. Lipscomb, of Washington, N. C. 'He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man today.' It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, La Grippe, Asthma and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Charles Rogers and Son.

## THIRD DAY OF COUNTY KARINEN DEFEATS CARNEY, SCHMIDT ALSO IN COURT SESSION

COMMISSIONERS BUSY WITH ROUTINE AFFAIRS—COVER MUCH GROUND.

Judge Trenchard and Commissioners Fry and Moore were on the county court bench at the customary hour yesterday morning to begin the work of the third day of the January session of that body.

Among the matters considered and disposed of were the following:

The petition of F. M. Blaisdel praying for permission to haul logs across the county road near the town of Olney, was granted upon the stipulation that he file the usual bond in indemnity required in such cases.

The bond of Sheriff and Tax Collector M. R. Pomeroy, in the sum of \$50,000, with Frank Patton and O. L. Peterson, as sureties thereon, was examined and duly approved; the bond covering duties and responsibilities of tax collecting.

The report of County Clerk J. C. Clinton for the last six months of 1908 was received and examined with interest and fully approved by the court. It shows a total of warrants drawn on the general fund in that time of \$83,393.90, with \$20,994.90 on the several special funds of the county, or a total of \$104,388.80, and the actual outstanding indebtedness of the county, at \$162,240.56, which is offset by an available cash balance in the hands of County Sherman of \$227.76.

The court was apprised by this report of the fact that certain valuable properties of the county had not been utilized as assets involving something \$225,000, and instructions were issued to the proper officers to make a compilation of these things in a comparative statement covering the actual condition of the county, which now stands with a net debt of \$160,012.80.

During the afternoon the court was busy with the task of selecting 200 jurors for service in the circuit court and completed it. They also took up the question of certain road boundaries but waived final action in favor of a further review.

#### At The Grand.

See and hear the marvelous Synchroscope, moving pictures that talk, sing and whistle. The wonder of the age. The craze of all Europe and America. Will be at the Grand Theatre for one week, commencing Monday, January 11. A complete change of program, Monday, Thursday and Saturday. Six new reels direct from the Manufacturers and six illustrated songs of the latest are shown at the Grand each week. For pleasure and comfort do not fail to visit the Grand. Admission, 10c; children, 5c.

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Sirloin	12c to 15c
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Salt Pork	12c
Pigs Feet	5c
Bologna Sausage	10c
Liver Sausage	10c
Blood Sausage	10c
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speaking the council has a clear Republican majority, though of course politics are presumed to cut no figure in the local administration of affairs.

During the day various technical legal matters arose demanding instant solution, and the city attorney, Mr. Abercrombie, was prepared for each as it arose and through his study and familiarity with the whole matter the recounts were carried through to speedy conclusions.

Each of the losers seemed to recognize that it was all a part of the political game, and as the two recounts were so manifestly fair and carried on in such a manner as to preclude the slightest possibility of mistake or chicanery, that the results could only be accepted as absolutely final.

After passing upon several matters at the session called in the afternoon the council at once turned to the question of the Carney-Karinen contest. Under a resolution introduced by Councilman Curtis and adopted by the council the procedure of the contest was set forth. Five of the councilmen were appointed as judges and two as clerks, with the city auditor as an additional clerk and the city attorney as an advisory member of the committee. This committee met in the city auditor's office and set to work. In about 20 minutes the whole recount was settled, showing that Mr. Karinen was elected.

Mr. Karinen received a total of 147 votes; Mr. Carney a total of 145 votes in the recount. These were divided as follows: First precinct, Karinen, 120; Carney, 77. Second precinct, Karinen, 27; Carney, 68. There were various errors in this count on election day, for on the recount in the first precinct Carney gained one, and Karinen gained two; and in the second precinct Karinen gained one and Carney lost one, leaving Karinen with a clear majority of 2.

At the meeting of the council last night Mr. Karinen was duly declared elected, and he took his oath of office and received his certificate of election. He then took his seat amid applause. Then in a few moments arose the contest matter between Mr. Kaboth and Mr. Schmidt.

The city auditor announced that he had a communication to read, which apparently had been filed with him only a short time before. It was a notice of a contest, signed by Mr. Schmidt. To many in the room this came as a complete surprise.

Mr. Kaboth instantly arose, and said that as he was the person most concerned he wished to speak.

Mr. Kaboth made a vigorous protest against a contest, basing it on technical grounds. Mr. Kaboth asked the city auditor to read over the resolution adopted earlier in the day providing for the procedure in cases of such contests. This was done, and the city auditor laid the necessary emphasis on the words which declared that notices for such contests must be filed at the first meeting in January after the election. This looked like a poser. But in a moment Councilman Belland arose and calmly stated that the meeting was the first one in January after the election—that this was simply an adjourned meeting from the one last Monday.

This was instantly corroborated, thus taking from under Mr. Kaboth's feet the only contention he had. A second later Mayor Smith turned to the city attorney and asked him his opinion of the matter—whether the recount could be had under this resolution. Mr. Abercrombie just as promptly explained that it could. That settled all question of technicalities stopping the recount.

But Mr. Karinen arose and also stated that he thought there should be no recount granted as between Mr. Kaboth and Mr. Schmidt. He also talked vigorously against the recount, stating that inasmuch as Mr. Schmidt had frequently stated that he did not want one, therefore it should not be granted even if he had now asked for it. Mr. Karinen stated that it was the "politicians" who had prevailed upon him to finally ask for the recount. But despite the arguments of Mr. Kaboth and Mr. Karinen the question was put to a vote and all the councilmen save those two voted for the recount, and they did not vote no when the nays were called for.

Councilman Stangeland, and one or two others had expressed the opinion of most when they said a recount was simply granting a fair deal, and that neither should be afraid of a recount.

Thereupon Mayor Smith appointed the judges and clerks as in the former contest and the council members set to work. It took them only about 40 minutes to make the recount. Following were the results:

Fourth precinct—Official count, Kaboth 180, recount 177; official, Schmidt 187, recount 187.

This gives Mr. Schmidt a total of 257 and Mr. Kaboth 256. There was one ballot on which the voter had

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